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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4091**
Kazuto HIROKAWA et al. : Docket No. 2003_0961A
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Restriction Requirement of March 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: